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One million job opportunity in a decade: Minister Joshi

April 20, 2017, Kathmandu

The Ministry of Industry has unveiled an ambitious plan with the promise of attracting foreign investment in domestic industrial sector and thus creating employment opportunities for one million people within the next 10 years. The Ministry unveiled this plan in a meeting with the representatives of various diplomatic missions here today as it seeks to create employment opportunities at home and make youths stay at home by addressing their needs for job opportunities within the next 10 years. On the occasion, Industry Minister Nabindra Raj Joshi said the plan aimed to set up at least one industry at a local level within a decade.

Nepal has guaranteed the investment-friendly atmosphere with the promulgation of the new constitution and on this backdrop we called on all our international friends to invest here and take benefit of it. “The Government of Nepal is committed to formulating business policies convenient to the investors.” Source: Karobardaily

One Nepali youth dies in South Korea

April 28, 2017, Khotang.

One Nepali youth was found dead on Thursday in South Korea at the place where he was sleeping. He was set to return home on leave on May 12. The deceased has been identified as Kalyan Rai, 31, a permanent resident of Chipring in Khotehang Rural Municipality-5. He had already booked air ticket. He was found dead on Thursday at Khaiju-based apartment, according to his relatives. He had been working in South Korea for five years. The cause of his death is yet to be ascertained. He is survived by parents, one brother and four sisters. He had already bought land in Kathmandu and Udayapur, his relative Phremtan Rai told Republica Online. The deceased had called his parents just four days back. All preparations are underway to bring his body to Nepal.

Source: My republica
AFFILIATES UNION

NTUC Education Department held discussion and interaction program at UN House

May 19, 2017, Lalitpur.
Nepal Trade Union Congress education department held weekly good friday program at UNDP meeting hall, UN House, Lalitpur. The main objectives of the program was to gain and share the information about the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG). NTUC President Mr. Khila Nath Dahal, Vice-President Mr. Ganesh Niraula, Women Vice-President Ms. Rama Poudel, General Secretary Mr. Mahendra Prasad Yadav and Treasurer Mr. Yogendra Kunwar were the representatives in the program. Also, Nepal Trade Union Congress 25 affiliated Union president or their representatives and district president from Kathmandu, Lalitpur and Bhaktapur participated in the program.

Nepal Trade Union Congress felicitate NTUC Panchthar District Youth Committee Vice-President

May 28, 2017, Kathmandu.
Nepal Trade Union Congress felicitate NTUC Panchthar district Youth Committee Vice-President Mr. Sushil Sherma for reaching the top of the mount Everest. He successfully climbed the everest on May 20, 2017. The program praised the heroic work of Mr. Sherma. President of Nepal Trade Union Congress, Mr. Khila Nath Dahal chaired the program. Local administrative minister, honorable Keshab Kumar Budhathoki was supposed to be the Chief Guest but due to his busy schedule, he was unable to attend the program.

NTUC representatives Vice-President Mr. Ganesh Niraula, Vice-President Mr. Ayodhya Yadav, Women Vice-President Ms. Rama Poudel, General Secretary Mr. Mahendra Prasad Yadav, Deputy General Secretary Ms. Aasha Singh Rathor. Various corresponds from NTUC affiliates Unionalso took part in the short program. Also, Mr. Narayan Bhattarai, National program Coordinator for ILO Nepal and Mr. Laxman Shahi, Nepal representative for JILAF were also present during the program.
Korea: President Moon and a New Era for Korean Workers

Moon was elected after former President Park Geun-hye was deposed over a massive corruption case involving scandal-plagued multinational Samsung, in which she is now facing prosecution. Following a meeting with President Moon in Seoul today, ITUC General Secretary Sharan Burrow said: “As a former human rights and labour lawyer, President Moon campaigned for a ‘nation that respects labour’. He reiterated his plans for Korea to ratify ILO Conventions 87 on freedom of association and 98 on collective bargaining, and these, along with his commitment to raise the minimum wage to ensure dignified lives for Korean workers, will lay the foundations for respect for the workers on which the national economy depends.

SGRA Project in Nepal (April)

April 2, 2017.
The SGRA project (Supporting Grass-Roots Activities through the International Employers’ and Workers’ Network), which JILAF has been implementing since fiscal 2011 with grants from the Japanese government (Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare), has entered its seventh year in fiscal 2017. On the occasion of the start of the project in the current fiscal year, a JILAF delegation visited Kathmandu from April 8 (Saturday) to 18 (Tuesday) for discussions and coordination with Nepalese counterparts involved in the project.

ILO convention No.5

C006 - Night Work of Young Persons (Industry) Convention, 1919 (No. 6) Convention concerning the Night Work of Young Persons Employed in Industry. Entry into force: 13 Jun1921 Adoption: Washington, 1st ILC session (28 Nov 1919) Status: Instrument to be revised (Technical Convention). Convention currently open for denunciation. The General Conference of the International Labour Organisation, Having been convened by the Government of the United States of America at Washington, on the 29 October 1919, and Having decided upon the adoption of certain proposals with regard to the "employment of children: during the night", which is part of the fourth item in the agenda for the Washington meeting of the Conference, and Having determined that these proposals shall take the form of an international Convention, adopts the following Convention, which may be cited as the Night Work of Young Persons (Industry) Convention, 1919, for ratification by the Members of the International Labour Organisation in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the International Labour Organisation.